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IN THE APPLICATION OF:

MICHAEL J. BAUHOFF

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SERIAL NO.: 10/085803

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EXAMINER: LORI L. COLETTA

FOR: INTEGRAL STRUCTURES OF METAL AND PLASTIC

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 JAN 2 7 2004 GROUP 3600

Introductory Comments

This is submitted in response to the Office Action dated September 15, 2003. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and submit the following amendments and remarks in support thereof. A petition for a one month extension of time has been filed concurrently herewith to enable the filing of this paper. Please amend the application as follows:

Sir: